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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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J. Lynn Ferry
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In re Application of: :
Richard Wichmann *et al.* :
Serial No. 09/919,678 : Group Art Unit: 1752
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Sir:

It is requested that the time for response to the Office Action mailed December 30, 2002 be extended one month so that it expires on April 30, 2003.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$110.00. If a further extension is needed, such extension is requested, and the Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit any

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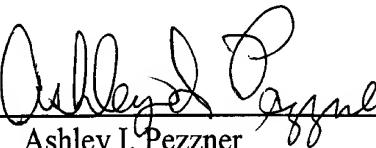
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other amount which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-2775.

Respectfully submitted,

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